

Graduate Entry Medicine - Domestic

ELIGIBILITY	
How many places are available?	There are 73 places available in the Graduate Entry program of which approximately 70% are allocated to Bachelor of Biomedical Science students who have completed their entire undergraduate degree at Monash (with exceptions*).
Who is eligible? *	<p>The following undergraduate programs at Monash University are deemed acceptable degrees.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Bachelor of Biomedical Science (including double degrees) ● Bachelor of Pharmacy (Honours) ● Bachelor of Physiotherapy (Honours) ● Bachelor of Science (including on double degrees and dependent on the completion of designated units^)
HOW TO APPLY	
How do I apply?	Go to http://www.monash.edu/admissions/apply/online
When can I apply?	See Key Dates - https://www.monash.edu/medicine/som/grad-entry
RULES	
Rules for students undertaking the Biomedical Science degree	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Students apply in their final year of their degree ● Applicants can attend an interview only once. ● Students who undertake study abroad can still apply, however they need to be aware of the commitment needed to be available to attend interviews during their final year. ● Unsuccessful students can re-apply once.

RULES	
What is the WAM required	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • A Weighted Average Mark (WAM) of 70 or above at the end of their undergraduate degree • If an applicant has two undergraduate degrees, the WAM from the most relevant degree will be used.
Applicants who are enrolled in the Bachelor of Biomedical Science double degree	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Must have commenced a Biomedical Science degree as one part of a double degree commencing in 2014 or later. • Apply in the final year of their double degree. • The final WAM for the complete double degree will be used in the calculation. • Students can take an alternate exit and apply as a single degree but must have met the requirements to course complete the biomedical science component of their double degree. The WAM from these 144 credit points will be used in the calculation. • *If completed prior to 2014 students will be part of the 30% allocation.
Applicants undertaking Biomedical Science Advanced with Honours	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Apply at the end of their third or final year • Can either discontinue the Honours component of the program or course complete the 4 years and commence the year after (defer) • Deferral of offer is available for this cohort of students only.
Applicants who transfer from another Monash bachelor degree into the Bachelor of Biomedical Science	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Have transferred from another Monash acceptable degree* • Are required to have completed a minimum of 96 credit points for the biomedical science course at Monash which equates to two years in the biomedical science degree • If transferring from Bachelor of Science, applicants cannot undertake Biomedical Science core units if they have undertaken any prohibited units. • Credit taken from any transferring is not included in the WAM calculation.
Applicants who transfer from another university into the Bachelor of Biomedical Science	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Are required to have completed a minimum of 96 credit points in the biomedical science course at Monash which equates to two years in the biomedical science degree • Credit taken from other degrees and/or institutions will not be included in the WAM calculation. • *Students who have transferred from another institution will be part of the 30% allocation.

RULES	
<p>Applicants who have completed a Monash acceptable degree other than Biomedical Science*</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Bachelor of Science students must have completed a minimum of 5 of the following units ^: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ BCH2011 ○ BCH2022 ○ DEV2011 ○ DEV2022 ○ GEN2052 ○ IMM2011 ○ IMM2022 ○ MIC2011 ○ MIC2022 ○ MCB2011 ○ MCB2022 ○ PHA2022 ○ PHY2011 ○ PHY2032 ○ PHY2042 <p>A major sequence of study in a key Biomedical Science area may reduce the requirement for 5 of the above specified units. This is determined on a case by case basis.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Part of the 30% allocation
COMMON SCENARIOS & QUESTIONS	
	<p>If I were to be accepted into Graduate Entry Pharmacy at Monash (entering into third year), will I be eligible for Graduate Entry Medicine given I will complete Bachelor of Pharmacy in 2 years? If so, how will my WAM be calculated?</p> <p>If you are accepted into the third year of the Bachelor of Pharmacy at Monash, you will have met their requirements for Years 1 & 2 which will then qualify you with a Monash acceptable degree. Your WAM will be calculated on the 2 years of your Monash program.</p>
	<p>My Bachelor of Biomedical Science degree was completed over 10 years ago with Monash University. Am I eligible to apply for Graduate Entry Medicine?</p> <p>Monash does not apply a 10 year currency rule for the purpose of calculating a WAM for entry. Applicants with Biomedical Science degree completed prior to 2014 will be eligible to apply for the 30% allocation.</p> <p>If applicants have completed their degree over 10 years prior to commencing the program, they may find it beneficial to refresh their tertiary studies by undertaking some form of other studies at a tertiary level before commencing.</p>

	<p>Can I undertake single university units as extra subjects to meet eligibility requirements for entry?</p> <p>Applicants who do not meet the degree entry requirements can undertake single subjects that will provide eligibility for entry. However the WAM would be calculated on the degree you have undertaken and any results from single units would not be used in the calculation.</p>
	<p>I have transferred into Biomedical Science from another university and decided not to accept any credit. Am I still eligible for part of the 70% allocation?</p> <p>By not taking any credit, you will be commencing the Biomedical Science degree at first year and completing the full three years, so you will be eligible for the 70% allocation.</p>
	<p>Can I defer an offer?</p> <p>Deferrals are assessed on a case-by-case basis and only for exceptional circumstances.</p>
	<p>Do I have to undertake a GAMSAT?</p> <p>If you consider applying for other graduate entry medical programs, you may consider undertaking GAMSAT but it is not a requirement for entry to Monash Medicine.</p>
	<p>Are there any places available under the Dean's Rural List?</p> <p>Yes, applicants eligible for the Dean's Rural List should apply.</p>
	<p>I am intending to complete the 5 year Bachelor of Pharmacy (Honours)/Master of Pharmacy combined vertical double degree at Monash. Can I apply for Graduate Entry Medicine at the completion of the Bachelor of Pharmacy (Honours) component which is my second last year?</p> <p>Yes and you would need to take an alternative exit if you are successful.</p> <p>If so, and if I am successful can I defer my medicine offer to course complete my fifth and final year to obtain my Master of Pharmacy?</p> <p>No.</p>
	<p>Are there any electives that I can enrol in that will increase my chances of being offered a graduate entry position?</p> <p>No.</p>

	<p>If I have two undergraduate degrees, which one is deemed acceptable and which one is used to calculate the WAM?</p> <p>The most relevant degree is used to calculate the WAM, however if they are both deemed as relevant, then the most recent undergraduate degree will be used in calculations.</p>
	<p>Would any study abroad units impact my chance of being offered a graduate entry position?</p> <p>There is no impact however your results for your study abroad will not contribute to your overall WAM.</p> <p>If you have transferred from another course or university, study abroad units are not counted as <i>'having completed a minimum of 96 credit points'</i> These units would have to form part of the year not completed at Monash.</p>
	<p>Can I apply for any credit transfer based on previous studies?</p> <p>No.</p>
	<p>If I enrol in an Honours year, will this increase my chances of gaining a place?</p> <p>No, separate honours year results are not used when calculating WAM. It is based on your undergraduate results only.</p>
	<p>Do I have to provide a Statement of Purpose and/or CV with my application?</p> <p>No</p>
	<p>If my question is not covered here, where can I go?</p> <p>Please email future@monash.edu</p>